

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

Claim 1. Anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof produced in accordance with a method for the production of individually customized anti-cancer antibodies which are useful in treating a cancerous disease, said antibodies comprising:

a subset of antibodies or fragments thereof characterized as being cytotoxic against cells of a cancerous tissue, said subset being essentially benign to non-cancerous cells.

Claim 2. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said antibodies is mediated through antibody dependent cellular toxicity.

Claim 3. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said antibodies is mediated through complement dependent cellular toxicity.

Claim 4. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said

antibodies is mediated through catalyzing of the hydrolysis
of cellular chemical bonds.

Claim 5. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said
antibodies is mediated through producing an immune response
against putative cancer antigens residing on tumor cells.

Claim 6. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said
antibodies is mediated through targeting of cell membrane
proteins to interfere with their function.

Claim 7. The anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
in accordance with claim 1 wherein the cytotoxicity of said
antibodies is mediated through production of a conformational
change in a cellular protein effective to produce a signal to
initiate cell-killing.

Claim 8. The anti-cancer antibodies of claim 1 wherein:
said method of production utilizes a tissue sample
obtained from a particular individual containing cancerous
and non-cancerous cells.

Claim 9. Anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
selected from the group consisting of a 3BD-3, a 3BD-6, a

1 3BD-8, a 3BD-9, a 3BD-15, a 3BD-25, a 3BD-26 and a 3BD-27
2 monoclonal antibody.
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4 Claim 10. Anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
5 produced by a hybridoma cell line having an ATCC Accession
6 Number selected from the group consisting of ().
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8 Claim 11. Anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
9 selected from the group consisting of a 1LN-1, a 1LN-12, a
10 1LN-14, a 2LN-21, a 2LN-28, a 2LN-29, a 2LN-31, a 2LN-33, a
11 2LN-34 and a 2LN-35 monoclonal antibody.
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13 Claim 12. Anti-cancer antibodies or fragments thereof
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